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1. There are about 850 to 900 barges on the Danube River. They are numbered serially from 1 to 900. The majority of these barges were built in Budapest. They have a capacity of from 200 to 1,500 tons. They are painted black without a stripe. Their crews consist of two sailors and an officer.
  2. There are 11 Soviet tugboats on the Danube, of which six have Diesel motors of 750 to 800 horsepower each, four of 1,200 horsepower each, and one, named ODESSA, of 1,500 horsepower.
  3. There are 12-14 Rumanian tugboats, of which three have Diesel engines of 300 to 1,000 horsepower; the rest are steamboats of 700-800 horsepower.
  4. There are about 10 Greek tugboats. They are steamboats and are not operating at present.

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